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Subject RE: First Request for Information; Portland Harbor Superfund  
Site: Notice of Non-Response and Potential Enforcement  
Action

Thank you.

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Thanks for the clarification. Marine Group LLC is the  
successor-in-interest to Northwest Marine Iron Works, Inc., which no  
longer operates as a separate corporate entity. We will be providing a  
detailed explanation of the corporate history and successorship, along  
with supporting documentation, when we submit our 104(e) responses.  
Please let me know if you have any additional questions. Thanks,

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Subject: Re: First Request for Information; Portland Harbor Superfund Site: Notice of Non-Response and Potential Enforcement Action

Ms. Dent - The letter was sent regarding Northwest Marine Iron Works. It is not clear from the extension request for The Marine Group that it was their intent to also include Northwest Marine Iron Works. If this was in fact their intent, please advise.

Regards,

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Portland Harbor Superfund Site:  
Notice of Non-Response and  
Potential Enforcement Action

Dear Ms. Koch, McKenna and Cora,

Our office represents The Marine Group, LLC in connection with the EPA's investigation of releases or threat of releases of hazardous substances associated with the Portland Harbor Superfund Site in Portland, Oregon. Art Engle, Manger of The Marine Group, received a Notice of Non-Response and Potential Enforcement Action from Deb Yamamoto, Unit Manager of the Office of Environmental Cleanup, dated July 16, 2008. I have attached a copy for your reference.

Please be advised that on April 21, 2008 The Marine Group requested an extension from the EPA for which to submit its response to the 104(e) Information Request. The request was granted on May 7, 2008. Attached hereto is a copy of both the Extension Request and EPA's Response. Also attached is the Marine Group's Initial Response to Information Requests, dated May 16, 2008 (including proof of mailing), as well as the interim status letters submitted to the EPA in June and July.

Should you need further clarification in connection with The Marine Group's compliance with the First Request for Information, please contact J.W. Ring or Karen Reed of this office.

Regards,  
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